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3. FREQUENCY OF ISSUE weekly		3A. NO. OF ISSUES PUBLISHED ANNUALLY 52	3B. ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE \$23.00 - \$28.00
4. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF KNOWN OFFICE OF PUBLICATION (Street, City, County, State and ZIP+4 Code) (Not printers) 205 West Main, Parkston, Hutchinson County, SD 57366-1210			
5. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF THE HEADQUARTERS OR GENERAL BUSINESS OFFICES OF THE PUBLISHER (Not printer) P.O. Box J, Parkston, SD 57366-1210			
6. FULL NAME OF PUBLISHER: Scott E. Ehler			
7. OWNER (If owned by a corporation, its name and address must be stated and list on the back of this form the names and addresses of stockholders owning or holding 1 percent or more of total amount of stock. If not owned by a corporation, the names and addresses of the individual owners must be given. If owned by a partnership or other unincorporated firm, its name and address, as well as that of each individual must be given.) FULL NAME COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS Parkston Advance, Inc. P.O. Box J, Parkston, SD 57366-1210			
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B. PAID AND/OR REQUESTED CIRCULATION 1. Sales through dealers and carriers, street vendors and counter sales		199	201
2. Mail Subscription (Paid and or requested)		1021	1017
C. TOTAL PAID AND/OR REQUESTED CIRCULATION (Sum of 1081 and 1082)		1220	1218
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I swear that the statements made by me above are correct and complete.		SIGNATURE AND TITLE OF PUBLISHER, BUSINESS MANAGER OR OWNER <i>Scott E. Ehler</i> Publisher	

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Sworn to before me this 14th day of

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County of Hutchinson)

October, 1999

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Kim Ehler
Notary Public
My commission expires January 12, 2004

